

1 Vice-Chairman? Delegate Chabot.

2 DELEGATE CHABOT: Judge Adkins, if we were to  
3 agree with the Committee's Report on this point but dis-  
4 agree with the Committee's Report on Point 1, the Public  
5 Works Board, in what way would this restrict our actions  
6 as we proceed further on in the Constitution? Do you feel  
7 that we could then establish such a board and designate  
8 some officer to serve? Are we restricted simply in the  
9 use of the word "Comptroller" as the designation of the  
10 officer?

11 DELEGATE ADKINS: No. I would say the answer  
12 to that is clearly No. If you agree with the Majority Report  
13 here and eliminate the Comptroller as an elected office,  
14 it is still before the Convention to construct, to either  
15 deny a Board of Public Works constitutional status or to  
16 construct such a Board of Public Works for the Constitution,  
17 as the Convention thinks wise. There is no magic in having  
18 an elected Comptroller as a member of the Board of Public  
19 Works if that is your question. I am not sure that answers  
20 it.

21 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Chabot.